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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

In the many years of paying exorbitant prices for slow internet service I was fortunate to be able to change my service to a provider offering much faster, and more reliable, fiber network internet at a better price. This was a much needed improvement from the dismal services and high prices that our family (and my business) had been paying for from AT&T and Comcast for many years.

Please, in this day of digital dominance to our lives, do not allow these monopolies to overcharge and under-provide these services. Instead encourage better solutions by allowing creative and technically superior companies proved these now "essential" improved services at more competitive rates.

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